

General Assembly

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Offered by:

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Cal. No. 220

"An Act Concerning Emergency Medical Services Data Collection And Emergency Medical Dispatch."

- 1 After line 199, insert the following and renumber the remaining
- 2 sections accordingly:
- 3 "Sec. 3. Section 20-206jj of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 4 following is substituted in lieu thereof:
- 5 As used in sections 20-206jj to 20-20600, inclusive, [: "Paramedicine"]
- 6 "paramedicine" means the carrying out of (1) all phases of
- 7 cardiopulmonary resuscitation and defibrillation, (2) the
- 8 administration of drugs and intravenous solutions under written or
- 9 oral authorization from a licensed physician, (3) the administration of
- 10 epinephrine using automatic prefilled cartridge injectors or similar
- 11 <u>automatic injectable equipment in accordance with written protocols</u>
- 12 <u>or standing orders of a licensed physician,</u> and <u>(4)</u> the administration
- 13 of controlled substances, as defined in section 21a-240, under the
- supervision of a physician by simultaneous communication.
- 15 Sec. 4. (NEW) Any class of emergency medical technician certified

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under regulations adopted pursuant to section 19a-179 of the general statutes may administer epinephrine using automatic prefilled cartridge injectors or similar automatic injectable equipment in accordance with written protocols or standing orders of a licensed

20 physician."